

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Alexis DEBUT et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2883
	)	
Application No.: 10/584,988	)	Examiner: PENG, Charlie Yu
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Filed: March 1, 2007	)	
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For: LOW POLARISATION MODE	)	Confirmation No.: 7846
DISPERSION (PMD) OPTICAL	)	
FIBER LINK, AND METHOD FOR	)	
MAKING THE SAME	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

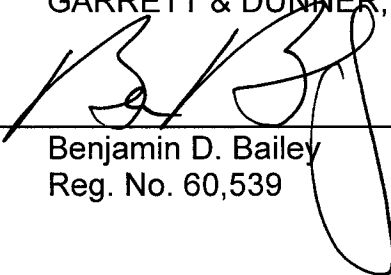
Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office  
Action of April 18, 2008. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: August 14, 2008

By:   
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